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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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All Participants:

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Date of Interview: 13 January 2009

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Telephonic
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If Yes, provide a brief description: _____.

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

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Prior art documents discussed:

Kates et al. (US PAT. 6,219,427).

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Discussed the drawing objection and 112 first paragraph rejection and the claimed invention and the prior art of Kates(427) and discussed why the cited reference to Kates(US PAT. 6,219,427) reads on the claimed limitation as recited in claim 15.

Part III.

It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Vivian Chin/
 Supervisory Patent Examiner, Art Unit 2614

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